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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *Connect America Fund*, WC Docket No. 10-90– *Acknowledgment  
of Confidentiality Pursuant to Protective Order*, DA 12-1995

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to paragraph 6 of the Third Supplemental Protective Order in the above-captioned proceeding,<sup>1</sup> on behalf of Alaska Communications Systems (“ACS”), attached are the executed acknowledgement of confidentiality and license agreement of Ruth Willard of ACS, for access to the Licensed Materials, specifically the User Materials, as defined in the Third Supplemental Protective Order, for use in these proceedings. These materials are being served on Counsel of Record to CostQuest, and a copy is being provided to the Wireline Competition Bureau. Please direct any questions concerning this matter to me.

Very truly yours,

/s/

Karen Brinkmann  
*Counsel to Alaska Communications Systems*

cc: Katie King, Wireline Competition Bureau  
Margaret Avril Lawson, Counsel of Record to CostQuest

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<sup>1</sup> *Connect America Fund*, Third Supplemental Protective Order, WC Docket No.10-90, DA 12-1995, ¶6 (Wireline Competition Bur., rel. Dec. 11, 2012) (“Third Supplemental Protective Order”).